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REQUEST FOR FILING OF CONTINUATION
APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

This is a request for filing a:

[] continuation application

[X] divisional application

pursuant to 37 CFR 1.53(b), of pending prior application Serial No. 09/158,333, filed on September 22, 1998, of Yu Zheng for Collapsible Structures.

1. [X] Enclosed is a copy of the prior application, including the oath or declaration as originally filed in Serial No. 09/158,333 on September 22, 1998.

2. [X] Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the following sentence:

--This is a divisional of application Serial No. 09/158,333, filed September 22, 1998, entitled "Collapsible Structures", ~~now~~ *now US Patent No. 6,098,441* pending.

3. [X] A check in the amount of \$345.00 for the filing fee is enclosed. This fee is calculated as follows:

				Large Entity		Small Entity	
Claims Remaining After Amendment				Number Extra	Rate	Fee	Rate
Basic Fee						\$345	
Total Claims	15	- 20	= 0	x	\$18	=	x \$ 9 = 0
Indep. Claims	1	- 3	= 0	x	\$78	=	x \$39 = 0
Multiple Dependent Claims				+	\$250	=	+ \$125=
TOTAL						\$	\$345.00